

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff

v.

Case No. 25-30039  
Originating No. 25-3045

**YURGEN YILVIER LEON-RIVERA,**

Defendant.

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**GOVERNMENT'S PETITION  
FOR TRANSFER OF DEFENDANT TO  
ANOTHER DISTRICT AND SUPPORTING BRIEF**

Pursuant to Rule 5(c)(3)(D) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the United States of America hereby petitions the Court for an order transferring defendant **YURGEN YILVIER LEON-RIVERA**, to answer to charges pending in another federal district, and states:

1. On February 3, 2025, defendant was arrested in the Eastern District Michigan in connection with a federal arrest warrant issued in the District of Arizona based on a Criminal Complaint. Defendant is charged in that district with violations of 8 USC Section 1324(a)(1)(A)(i) and (a)(1)(B)(i) – Bringing an Illegal Alien into the United States.

2. Rule 5 requires this Court to determine whether defendant is the person named in the arrest warrant and is entitled to a preliminary examination as described in Paragraph One above. See Fed. R. Crim. P. 5(c)(3)(D)(ii).

WHEREFORE, the government requests this Court to conduct transfer proceedings in accordance with Rule 5 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

Respectfully submitted,

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